(d) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) The proposal for restructuring of Delhi and Mumbai Airports are still under consideration.

Losses due to non-checking of aircrafts

158. SHRI ABANI ROY: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Airlines has suffered huge losses during the last few years due to delay in completion of various checks of aircrafts in the engineering bases;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether Government have fixed/propose to fix responsibility for such losses; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

Route rationalisation of Air India and Indian Airlines

159. SHRI RAMA MUNI REDDY SIRIGIREDDY: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the route rationalisation proposal of Air India and Indian Airlines has been shelved; and

(b) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI RAJIV PRATAP RUDI): (a) and (b) A three-member Committee has been constituted to examine the issue of route rationlaisation between Air India and Indian Airlines for their common international operations taking into account their views and keeping in view the short term/long term interests of the two airlines etc.